# GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Agriculture and Cooperation Department – Organizing farmers and bringing them on common platforms in villages/Mandals/Districts in Telangana State - Finalizing the members and Co-ordinators of Grama/Mandala/ Zilla Rythu Samanvaya Samithis by 09<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2017 – Nomination of Hon'ble Ministers – Orders – Issued.

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## AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (OP) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 39 Dated: 27-08-2017

Read:

Instructions of the Hon'ble Chief Minister in the meeting held on 26-08-2017

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#### **ORDER:**

After formation of the Telangana State on 02-06-2014, the Government have taken the following Initiatives for the benefit of farming community:-

- i. Relieving farmers from debt burden by implementing Crop loan waver
- ii. Raising agricultural productivity and making farming remunerative
- iii. Huge investment in Irrigation Major, Medium & Minor
- iv. Free Power (24 hours) to Agriculture
- v. Promotion of Crop Colonies
- vi. Promotion of Micro Irrigation
- vii. Creating additional Storage by constructing Godowns
- viii. Promotion of Poly Houses
  - ix. Promotion of Farm Mechanization
  - x. Strengthening of Extension machinery by creating additional AEO posts @ one AEO for every 5000 Acres
- xi. Timely & decentralized Seeds & Fertilizers distribution
- xii. e-Nam and Marketing reforms
- 2. Considering the plight of the farmers in the State, Government of Telangana has come up with a new concept of providing Investment Support Scheme providing @ Rs.4000/- per acre each season to all farmers (for both Agriculture & Horticulture crops) to meet the requirement of cost of (1) Seeds (2) Fertilizers (3) Pesticides and (4) Other investment in the field operations of farmers' choice in the crop season from the year 2018-19. If the farmer cultivates land during Rabi also, then he will be eligible for another amount of Rs. 4000/- per acre.
- 3. A detailed farmer-wise survey (Rythu Samagra Survey) was taken up by the Agriculture Extension Officers (AEOs)of State Agriculture department in coordination with the Revenue department in the months of May-July, 2017 by contacting the farmers at their doorsteps and prepared the list of eligible farmers. It was reported that some more revenue related issues to be resolved (such as succession cases, Sada bainamas etc.
- 4. The Hon'ble Chief Minister, after holding several meetings with Revenue and Survey departments suggested to conduct farmer-wise surveyin a campaign mode again by constituting Revenue teams with the coordination of Agriculture & Horticulture Departments to finalise the farmers lists revenue village-wise and to collect the actual extents of area owned by them by conducting the Gram Sabhas, duly resolving existing grievances, which can be amicably settled by mutual consent, from 15<sup>th</sup>September to 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017. The lands not fit for cultivation and all Nonagricultural lands are not to be considered under the scheme. It was also decided not to touch the complicated cases, lands under litigation etc in first phase. The scheme of investment support will be implemented by the Agriculturedepartment under the leadership of concerned District Collectors from the year 2018-19.

- 5. Crop colonies are being promoted for increasing productivity and marketability to achieve self-sufficiency and also prevent farmers from the practice of mono cropping. It is also planned to provide Rs.500.00 crores of revolving fund to the State level Rythu Samanvaya Samithi for undertaking MSP Operations and to enhance their bargaining power in the villages and mandals.
- **6.** The Hon'ble Chief Minister took a decision for setting up of Grama, Mandala, Zilla and Rashtra Rythu Samanvaya Samithis through nomination by the Government and the following Committees are to be nominated:

Sl. No.	Level	Name of the Committee	No. of Committee Members
1	Revenue Village	Grama Rythu Samanvaya Samithi	15
2	Mandal	Mandala Rythu Samanvaya Samithi	24
3	District	Zilla Rythu Samanvaya Samithi	24
4	State	Rashtriya Rythu Samanvaya Samithi	42

- 7. ACoordinator at Village/Mandal/District/State level will also be nominated for the Rythu Samanvaya Samithis by the Government through nomination.
- **8.** While formulating the Committees, it should be observed that the selected members should be (1) Practicing pattadar farmers residing in the village (2) 1/3 of the nominated members should be from women category and (3) Member should be nominated covering all the communities in the village.
- 9. The Agriculture Department will be the Nodal Department and Commissioner & Director of Agriculture will be the State Nodal Officer and the District Collectors are designated as District Nodal Officers, assisted by District Agricultural Officers.
- **10.**Accordingly, Government hereby nominate the following Hon'ble Ministers to the Districts mentioned against their names for finalizing the members and Coordinators of Grama/Mandala/ Zilla Rythu Samanvaya Samithis by 09<sup>th</sup> September, 2017.

Sl. No.	Name of the Incharge Ministers	Names of the Districts
1	Sri Pocharam Srinivas Reddy	Nizamabad & Kamareddy
2	Sri Kadiyam Srihari	Jangaon, Warangal (R) & (U)
3	Sri Etela Rajender	Karimnagar & Peddapally
4	Sri K. T. Rama Rao	Rajanna Siricilla & Jagityal
5	Sri T. Harish Rao	Sangareddy, Medak & Siddipet
6	Sri Jogu Ramanna	Adilabad & Komaram Bheem Asifabad
7	Sri A. Indra Karan Reddy	Nirmal & Mancherial
8	Sri P. Mahender Reddy	Ranga Reddy, Vikarabad & Medchal
9	Sri G. Jagadish reddy	Nalgonda, Suryapet & Yadadri Bhongir
10	Sri Tummala Nageshwar Rao	Khammam & Kothagudam Bhadradri
11	Sri C. Laxma Reddy	Mahabubnagar
12	Sri Jupally Krishna Rao	Nagarkurnool, Wanaparthy & Jogulamba Gadwal
13	Sri Azmeera Chandulal	Jayashankar Bhupalpally & Mahabubabad

11. The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter.

### (BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

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To

The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad.

All Collectors& District Magistrates in the State

The Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue Dept., Secretariat, T.S.

The Prl. Finance Secretary to Government, Secretariat, T.S.

The Commissioner of Horticulture & Sericulture (FAC), Hyderabad

The Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad

The Commissioner for Cooperation & RCS, Hyderabad

The PS to Ministers concerned, Government of Telangana.

The PS to Minister [Agriculture & Cooperation]

The PS to Minister [Agricultural Marketing]

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